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April 20th.

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THE WEATHER
UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU
EL PASO, TEXAS, APRIL 16, 1897.
Time 6:54 A. M.
Barometer..... 30.00
Thermometer..... 73.00
Direction of wind..... E.
Velocity of wind per hour..... 12
Weather..... Clear
Rain 24 hours (inches and hundredths)..... 0.00
Highest temperature last 24 hours..... 83
Lowest temperature last 24 hours..... 43

LOCAL AND GENERAL.
Blank books cheap at Irvin's. Go to Irvin for window glass. Acme saloon for good whiskey. Home cooking at Smith's Creamery. 7 and 12 year old whiskey at Acme. Delicious coffee at Smith's Creamery. Butter 25 and 35 cts. Smith's Creamery.
Typewriter paper at the Herald office.

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Try the bread made by the Dickinson Home Bakery.
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Drift
Rooms—Furnished and unfurnished at 603 north Oregon street.
Reports from Albuquerque report a heavy rise in the river.
FOR RENT—A 6 room furnished house. Apply A. P. Colos.
Miguel Contreras is being tried for burglary, in the district court today.

BORN—In this city 15th inst., a daughter to the wife of W. M. Gillespie.
The Scottish rite Masons enjoyed a fine banquet last night in Masonic Hall.
Ladies' and gent's \$100 bicycles good as new, for sale very cheap; call Center Block hotel.

Do not be mistaken in the date of the McGinty entertainment. It will be on Tuesday next, the 20th.
The Willing Workers of the Myrtle avenue Methodist church will hold a social on Monday night next.
Messrs. Cooper Bros., ice cream parlors are now opened. Come and see their fine display of Easter goods.
Furnished rooms for rent. Single or en suite. With bath and ideal view. Mrs. W. J. Jones, No. 605 N. Oregon St.

The wind of last night which promised rain, failed to bring it, but this morning's air was delightfully crisp and cool.
Do not fail to hear Master Joaquin Bouche sing at the McGinty entertainment at the opera house on Tuesday next, the 20th.
Bashong and Feldman are having a big run on the new size Platino photo. The price is down to \$1.50 per dozen until May 1st. Satisfaction is guaranteed in every case. Come early.

Agent E. E. Sirrine of Sierra Blanca is for the time being in the G. H. dispatchers' office in this city helping Mr. McNeal, while the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Holmes is unfilled. Mr. Sirrine has the reputation of being one of the best station agents in the country, and is directly in the line of promotion.
City Collector Smith has busted the collection record, in raking in \$33,804.40 for March. It is the heaviest ever for one month in local municipal history. The collector shows that the taxes due the city for '93, '94, '95 and '96 amount to \$63,175.08, and if this were all paid up the city would be entirely free from debt.

The Las Vegas Office is informed that the imitation "Black Jack," whose real name is John McDonald, is still being held in custody at El Paso, Texas, till the convening of the Socorro court, on the first Monday in May. He has been identified as the original and only "Black Jack," but he will most likely be released on a habeas corpus, at the Socorro term.

An interesting circumstance attending the advent of a daughter last night to W. M. Gillespie, was as follows: The happy pa is a member of the Bowlring club, and the club has the cheerful custom of fining members who are absent from meetings. So a fine was assessed against Mr. Gillespie last night, but when it was afterwards stated what had caused the same, the fine was promptly remitted.

Passover will begin this evening and continue for eight days. This is a Jewish feast instituted to commemorate the providential deliverance of the Hebrews in Egypt, when the destroying angel, smiting the first born of the Egyptians, passed over the houses of the Israelites that had been previously marked with the blood of the paschal lamb. The passover was observed on the fourteenth day of the first month, Nisan, and on the fifteenth day commenced the seven-days' feast of unleavened bread.

Rupture Cured!

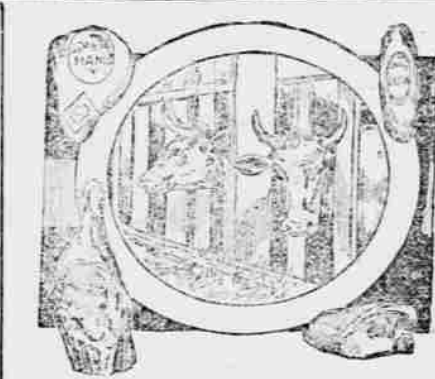
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Rooms 2 and 4, Mundy Block



Col. Majors is now after Major McGinty's scalp for street and sewer commissioner. This morning the colonel said: "I can give Mayor McGinty cards and spades on street work and beat him, but I don't know a d--d blasted thing about sewers."

The circus parade, the dog show parade, nor no other parade will be in it," said Doc Ward this morning, "when the McGinty parade gets out next Tuesday to give the McGinty show a boost: The light guard will be out in full uniform and fixed bayonets and will escort the McGinty band through the street and will make such a hullabaloo that they will wake up the denizens of Sleepy Hollow."

Even the El Paso coroners can't be let alone in their ghoul official work. No more so than the undertaker, and the Rincon Weekly, not satisfied with the territorial beverage has this mean slap at the El Paso coroner and the El Paso whiskey. "An El Paso coroner went out to hold an inquest on a tramp, supposed to be dead. The 'corps' asked the coroner for a drink. The coroner acquiesced in the request, produced a bottle of El Paso 'best' and the inquest was held 10 minutes afterward. Hard to get ahead of a Texas coroner."

The Buckman Farce Comedy company have received very flattering notices from the press of Dallas, Waco and San Antonio, where they have just been showing. The repertoire is a list of week at the Myar's opera house will be Monday, "Wife Wanted," Wednesday: "A Pretzel," Thursday: "An Innocent Widow," Friday: "The Coquette," Saturday: "Hidden Hand." These plays are all interpreted with songs, music and dancing, and Monday night especially, will there be plenty of these specialties. On Monday night ladies will be free when accompanied by parties holding a paid 30 cent ticket.

This is cleaning up day at the fire department and the boys went to work early to make everything shine.

Everything is moving along slowly, but surely for the entertainment of the state firemen's convention that will meet here in May. All plans for convention have been carefully laid and all they need for a successful consummation of the object is more money. This will probably be the subject of a subscription on the committee appointed by the city council do not see how the council could legally appropriate money for that purpose.

My task in life, said the pastor, "completely consists in saving young 'Alf' from the madhouse, and in a soulful longing, 'save a nice looking one for me.'"

This is Good Friday. All those who have fasted today will please hold up their right hands so they can be counted on the side of Christianity.

This kind of weather makes the aligators in the park crawl out and put on 12x12 smile at their numerous visitors.

From the number of long faces that are short of skin going around the streets it looks as though there might have been a late election in the second ward.

Next Sunday will be Easter, but all the rabbit eggs found in the park will belong to Major McGinty.

A Blind Fake.
The jumped up and altogether crushed looking man who was toed up to the council chamber last night by the might of a half grown African youth of less than medium intelligence and was given a half rate to Las Vegas, did not go north this noon as he intended. The mayor secured the ticket for the blind man, and nothing was said about the guiding youth, so that when Conductor Wells found that the kid had no ticket, the latter was requested to get off the train ere it started.

The blind man protested and protested; said the boy had been with him for twelve years, and should be taken along. But the conductor failed to see the situation in that light, and as the boy was put off, the blind man got off also. One of the Santa Fe local officials said that his road has carried that outfit twenty times over the line if they have once.

The man said he wanted to get north to Colorado Springs, where it was cooler than in El Paso during the summer, and he would have a chance to rest a bit at Las Vegas, and get help here to continue north to cooler climes.
The charming twin are now wandering about the streets as the city refuses to pay the boy's fare. The Santa Fe people say they are confident that the man has money, and can pay the boy's fare as well as not.

E. C. Paw sells to C. E. Kelly for \$2000 part block 43, map 2, Satterthwaite's addition. W. J. Harris transfers to D. T. Hoskins of Las Vegas in settlement of claims, \$7100 interest in lots 81-86, block 5, Satterthwaite's addition.
Justice Bridges fined today, Reuben Richards one dollar for contempt of court. It seems that Richards was a complaining witness in a case and was absent from the hearing. He returned recently and was arrested.

Dispatcher Powers of the G. H. was in town today from Findley. The boys were glad to see him again.

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ON TO WHITE OAKS.
An Interesting Talk With Mr. Eddy, the Promoter of the Scheme.
While Mr. Eddy, the well known promoter of the White Oaks railway scheme that means so much for El Paso, was in town a Herald reporter had the following conversation with him:
"Mr. Eddy, have you any information you care to give the public in regard to the White Oaks railway project?"
"Who is with your party?"
"Col. H. M. Bates, of Scranton, Penn.; Commodore G. C. W. Lowrey, of New York; C. D. Simpson, of Scranton; W. A. Lathrop, of Wilkesbarre, Penn.; E. S. Harmon, J. W. Ogden, of New York; Geo. W. Dickinson, of Omaha; M. M. Gillan, of New York."

"Where are you now en route to?"
"We are going to San Antonio, New Mexico, from which point we are going on to investigate the coal prospects of the White Oaks district, with the exception of Mr. Ogden, who will remain in El Paso a day or so to investigate matters at this end."

"Have you any practical coal men with you?"
"Oh yes, Mr. Simpson, Mr. Lathrop and Mr. Dickinson have operated largely in the anthracite regions of Pennsylvania."

"What do they think of the White Oaks scheme?"
"I am not at liberty to say, except that they are willing to take hold of the matter as their associates, if I can demonstrate to them that the coal deposits are as represented, and that is the purpose of this trip. I am prepared to show everything as represented."

"Some of your proposition based on something other than fuel product?"
"That is the main thing in which my party are particularly interested, although the other mineral products, with lumber, the field for agricultural purposes, etc., will materially assist the scheme."

"Is any other railway company interested in this enterprise?"
"No sir. If the road is built it will be built and run by my associates; we intend to secure and operate an independent terminal."

"Will the road build north to a connection with another line?"—say in Kansas.
"No sir, we intend to build from El Paso 150 miles; it will be a stub road and benefit your city more than any through line possibly could, as it will throw all of its products to and through El Paso, and the population will necessarily depend upon El Paso for its source of supplies."

"Have you purchased what is known as the Gould White Oaks ten mile of track from El Paso north?"
"No, sir, and I will not state at this time, whether we will lease or purchase it, or build another line in from the Mesa. Mr. Gould has assured me that they would be glad to see us build another line, but just flatly refused to sell it from that source. I anticipated opposition from the citizens of El Paso, and when our party returns we will endeavor to have a conference with the principal business men on the subject."

"If your company decides to build, how soon would you commence work?"
"Don't question me so closely, my train is ready to leave and I will have to bid you good bye."

The Langtry Smash Up.
The details of the recent accident as given by the San Antonio Express, are as follows, and will be read with interest by local railroad men:
The accident is supposed to have been caused by defective train orders, what is known as a "lap" order, causing the two trains to meet on the main line.

The train, one going west in charge of Conductor Frank Griffin, and one coming east in charge of Conductor George Buchanan, were running about twenty-five miles an hour when they met. The two engines did not collide, but just flattened themselves against each other. The train was clear for the running of trains at 3 p. m.

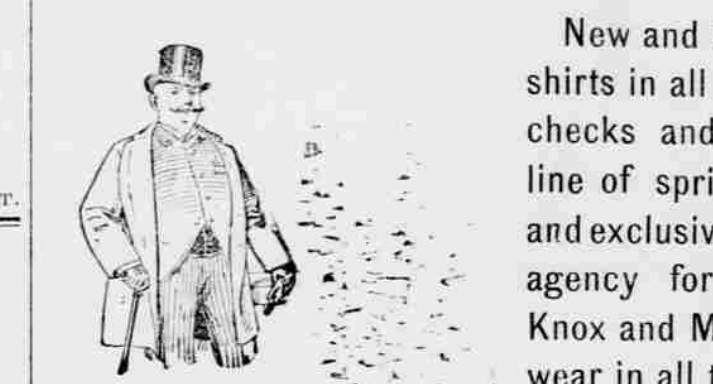
It was the most appalling wreck that has occurred on the road since the terrible disaster near Weimar in December, when five lives were crushed out through the negligence of a crew that slept on duty.

When the extra freight train No. 718 from the east was making a down grade curve three and one-half miles from Langtry station. It was to have met extra freight train No. 621 from the west at Langtry, but as 621 was delayed another order was sent by the dispatcher for No. 718 to move on to the next station and there was a delay in train from this west. When the order was decided upon, operator at Lodger, a station thirty miles west of Langtry, was notified, so that extra No. 621 would know where to pass No. 718 from the east. It was, however, that the freight train from the east had already passed Lodger when the operator received the message and he "accepted the order," although the train had already passed that station. The dispatcher did not know that the train from the west had not received the order about meeting the one from the east, and No. 718 from the east was ordered out of Langtry on mission No. 1 and destruction.

At 2:45 o'clock No. 621 from the west was approaching Langtry. Only three and one-half miles remained between it and the switch at Langtry. Under full head of steam it made for the grade before it, then it came upon the curve. The train from the east on the down grade had just reached the same curve. That instant the bright headlights of the opposing trains flashed their blinding glare into the eyes of the opposing trains.

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"Jump!" shouted the engineer on the east bound freight.
"Jump! Jump!" the engineer on the opposing west bound train cried to his men.
At that instant the trains crashed. One unfortunate man was killed outright and four were wounded, scalded and pinioned under the debris. The weight of the car pulling six others off the track and down the embankment. Engineer Peterson on noticing something was wrong shut the throttle off and put on the brakes, but it was too late as the cars were already falling and turning upside down. Luckily an old tree stump caught one of the cars and stopped them, leaving the engine, mail and passenger coaches on the track which undoubtedly saved a number of lives.

As the mixed train on the Silver City and Deming branch of the Santa Fe was leaving Silver City the other morning one of the box cars jumped the track on a curve. As the train was a very heavy one—most of the cars being loaded with iron ore and being on the slant tipped the car over the grade, the weight of the car pulling six others off the track and down the embankment. Engineer Peterson on noticing something was wrong shut the throttle off and put on the brakes, but it was too late as the cars were already falling and turning upside down. Luckily an old tree stump caught one of the cars and stopped them, leaving the engine, mail and passenger coaches on the track which undoubtedly saved a number of lives.

A party of five civil engineers have just arrived at Batopilas, ex-Gov. A. H. Sheppard's mining camp, direct from London. They are representatives of a wealthy London syndicate, who propose to build a railroad from Topolobampo to Guerrero. The party will visit El Paso, and other points along the proposed route, and will make an estimate of the cost of building the road. The syndicate has applied to the Mexican government for a concession for the road, but it has not yet been granted.

Vice-President Stubbs, of the Southern Pacific, has prepared a program for the conference of freight men, the topics of which cover several typewritten pages. It deals with every traffic question and Mr. Stubbs says he is going to call upon every member in the gathering, as the opportunity affords, to express his views on questions of policy and acquaint the heads of the department with his ideas on means and measures for increasing the bulk of the company's traffic.

City ticket Agent A. W. Reeves of the Santa Fe, has been assigned and will leave Monday with his family for Grand Rapids, Mich., where he will go into commercial life. Mr. Reeves came here one year ago last January to take the place of Mr. McCarty, who went to San Francisco, and has made many friends for the Santa Fe by his efficient service. Mr. Reeves will be much missed.

Passenger Conductors Ed. Stimmel and C. D. Boucher have arranged to leave for El Paso, Texas, on the evening train, notwithstanding the costly fact that both these ticket punchers have been requested by the powers that be to supply themselves with new regulation time pieces.—Optic.

News Service Extended.
The St. Louis Republic recently made arrangements with the cable companies, whereby direct news from all sections of the world, as well as received. It now prints more authentic foreign news than any other paper and continues to keep up its record for publishing all the home news. The outlook for the year is one of big news events, fast succeeding each other and they will be highly interesting to everyone. The price of The Republic daily is 86 a year, or \$1.30 for three months. The Twice-Week Republic will remain the same—one dollar a year, by mail, twice-a-week.

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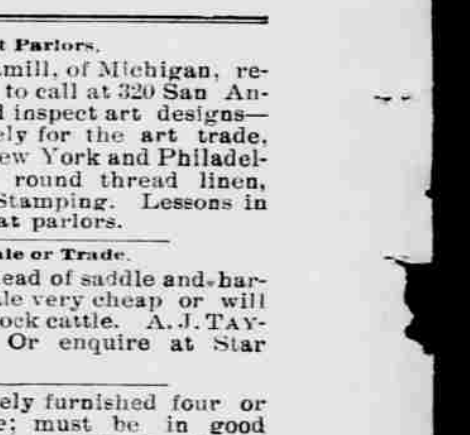
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